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BAKER MICHAEL CORP Form 8-K March 19, 2009

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549 FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 Date of report (Date of earliest event reported) <u>March 17, 2009</u> MICHAEL BAKER CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter) Pennsylvania

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

1-6627

(Commission File Number)

100 Airside Drive Moon Township, Pennsylvania

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

(412) 269-6300

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

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(IRS Employer Identification No.)

25-0927646

15108

(Zip Code)

Item 5.02. Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; **Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.**

Resignation

On March 17, 2009, the Board of Directors of Michael Baker Corporation (the Company) accepted the resignation of Craig O. Stuver as Chief Executive Officer of the Company, effective April 1, 2009. The Company issued a press release reporting Mr. Stuver s resignation and a copy of this press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated into this Item 5.02 by reference.

Appointment

On March 17, 2009, the Board of Directors of the Company announced the appointment of Michael J. Zugay, CPA, as Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, effective April 1, 2009.

Mr. Zugay, 57, will succeed Craig O. Stuver. Most recently, Mr. Zugay was Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of iGate Corporation where he was responsible for all of the firm s financial and administrative functions. Previously, he was Vice President of Mergers and Acquisitions with iGate and completed 26 transactions that added more than \$190 million in revenue for the company. Prior to that, he was President and Chief Executive Officer of Bliss-Salem, Inc. Mr. Zugay holds a Bachelor s Degree in Business Management from the Indiana University of Pennsylvania, and is a Certified Public Accountant.

The Company issued a press release reporting Mr. Zugay s appointment and a copy of this press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated into this Item 5.02 by reference.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibit is filed with this report on Form 8-K:

Exhibit No. Description 99.1 Press release dated March 17, 2009.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the Company has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MICHAEL BAKER CORPORATION

By: /s/ H. James McKnight H. James McKnight Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

Date: March 18, 2009

EXHIBIT INDEX

Number Description

99.1 Press release dated March 17, 2009.

Method of Filing

Filed herewith.